



**QUICK FACTS ABOUT DSS IN
LACLEDE COUNTY**

Medicaid/MC+

Number of people eligible for Medicaid/MC+ services ⁽¹⁾	8,144
Medicaid/MC+ dollars spent in state fiscal year 2004 ⁽²⁾	\$32.2 mil
Estimated portion of \$32.2 mil that was federal dollars	\$19.8 mil
Medicaid/MC+ dollars for inpatient hospital services	\$4.4 mil
Medicaid/MC+ dollars for physician services	\$3.9 mil
Medicaid/MC+ dollars for nursing home services	\$3.3 mil
Medicaid/MC+ dollars for pharmacy services	\$9.1 mil
Medicaid/MC+ dollars for managed care payments	NA

Family Support

Child support collections (IV-D and non-IV-D)	\$3.9 mil
Average monthly temporary assistance families	279
Total temporary assistance payments	\$0.8 mil
Average monthly food stamp benefit recipients	5,707
Total food stamp benefits received	\$5.0 mil

(1) In SFY-2003 and SFY-2004 this reflects eligibles. In SFY-2002 people receiving Medicaid services were reported.
(2) Excludes Buy-In.
(3) Methodology has been revised for SFY-2004. Do not compare across years.

Child Welfare

Children involved in hotline reports	630
Children with probable cause abuse or neglect	70
Children with family assessments	407
Children in custody during SFY-2004	33
Average monthly children in custody	22
Children adopted	8
Total Children's Services expenditures	\$0.4 mil
Average monthly children receiving subsidized child care ⁽³⁾	186
Child care expenditures ⁽³⁾	\$0.4 mil

Youth Services

Youths committed	9
Average monthly youths in DYS custody	18

SFY-2004